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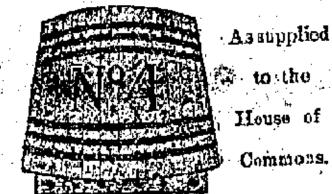
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Sir Henry Berkeley said that the appellant was a married woman. In the Colony there was a publication which contained the names and photographs, the accomplishments, of persons who were purported to be demi mondaines in the Chinese world of this Colony. Amongst the photographs was one of the appellant. There was also some letterpress referring to her. It was impossible to conceive a more grosser libel and nothing could be more serious than the libel contained in the pages of the book. "We can only assume that an enemy hath done this thing," continued Sir Henry. The affidavit of the Electric Radiators husband stated that they were married in 1902, the father of his wife being a merchant Electric Shaving Pots ... Convenient and useful. and a Mandarin of the Fifth class, while at the Hongkong Club. He bought a copy of the book at the office of the World's News, a Chinese newspaper, and a day or two ago an advertisement appeared in that paper stating that the book could be bought at that office. The title page as translated by their translator was "A

His Lordship: - Does the book contain the name of the publisher? Sir Henry Berkeley :- No, my Lord.

the order. CLAIM FOR MONEY LENT.

Defendant's Startling

His Lordship granted the application for

Admissions. Sam Greenfield sued F. L. V. rnon at

the Supreme Court, this morning, before Mr Justice Gompertz, for \$76.70, money Plaintiff said that the defendant owed

him the money which was borrowed in 1906 and 1907. Plaintiff lent \$70 in cash, and \$6.70 was for work done. No repayments had been made. "Here is a little evidence," said plaintiff handing up a bundle of paper.

His Lordship :- I can't accept that; you can refer to them if you like.

1906; I was in Amoy. Defendant on being sworn stated that in October 1906 he was in receipt of Army Reserve pay of \$90. He was employed at

the time at Quarry Bay Shipyard. With that money he bought furniture for himself and removed into a room of which plaintiff had charge. In January of last year he was prosecuted and, being financially embarrassed, he saked plaintiff to look after his famiture as he was attending the Court. He had given plaintiff the papers as a guarantee because he had had twenty-four hours in which to find the money. Defendant then went to Canton and handed it over to another friend.

His Lordship .- You gave him these papers to stay the execution of the Court? -Yes.

His Lordship -That i-a serious matter. Plaintiff on being examined by his Lordship said that several European lodgers lived at his house and he had been in the habit of lending them a dollar or two when they had needed it and he had not kept any "track" of the money. Defendant had never offered to pay and had always L put witness off by excuses.

His Lordship — (to defendant.) . You handed the papers over to deleas the object of the Court. It seems to me it was

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Annual Report.

(Continued from Page 5.)



At the yearly prize-giving, held this morning the Rev. E. J. Barnett rend the annual report as follows :- Your Excellency, My Lord Bishop, Ladies and Gentlemen:-

of its existence, the College was in charge of the Venerable Archdencon Banister. To his duties as Secretary of the Mission he added

for twelve months the responsibilities of Acting-Warden, and every one connected with St. Stephen's is indebted to him for the whole-hearted manner in which hethrew himself into the work at the expense, we fear, of his health. The College owes its existence more to Archdeacon Banister than to any other man. His interest in its progress and his keenness in furthering its advancement have never flagged for a moment. It is therefore a keen disappoint ment to himself, and in addition a serious

loss to us that the Archdencon is not

present with us to-day.

But the Archdeacon was the first to acknowledge that his position as Acting-Warden was made possible only through the ready support given him at all times by the teaching staff. The College Council has expressed its appreciation of the valuable help afforded by these gentlemen, and personally I am most grateful for their thorough loyalty. their devotion to duty, their kindly consideration and individual interest in all College affairs which makes for proficiency and harmony. We welcome to-day the Rov. W. H. Hewitt, B.D., who under the appointment of the Church Missionary Society, has just arrived in Hongkong to assist in St. Stephen's. Mr Hewitt's first duty has been to examine the Scripture

papers throughout the College: --The year closes with the names of 125 scholars on the roll. The number of boarders is small owing to the lack of accommodation. Those who wish to secure a choice of rooms in the new building should send in their names at an early

The plague scare in the middle of the year somewhat disorganized the work and necessitated the closing of the College for a short time. This occurred about a fortnight before the Oxford local examination, and inevitably militated against results. Nevertheless, of the 11 condidates who were recommended and sat for the ex amination nine passed: 2 in Senior (both obtaining A.A.), six in Junior and 1 in Preliminary. These were all Chinese candidates. No other educational institution exceeded this number of Chinese passes. Every candidate passed in Arithmetic, Book-keeping and Algebra. Of those who presented Religious Knowledge, History. Geometry and Mensuration all passed but one. One boy in the preliminary passed looking forward with hope to the examin-

The annual tests just closed give evidence of good work. Some boys have shirked the examinations: others have failed. He who fails to try can never succeed. He who tries and fails may have made a good start on the road to success. Taking the First Floor. sign our Firm per procuration from this whole examination, 83 per cent. obtained an average of 45 marks or over; 71 per in good condition, however, need not be cent. gained 50 marks or over; and 35 per 6 cent there awarded 66 marks or more.

cases of sickness, or family affairs, students on the West. are unable to attend the final examination. Such cases are met by the issue of certi-Such cases are met by the issue of certi-Road and a straight line drawn from the ficates to those who gain not less than 66 North and thereof through the Yaumati his death, which took place at Shanghai per cent. of marks in the terminal examinon the 2nd October last.

Forms are - in Form VI Chan Ying Wing; application being made to the Secretary in Form V Lam Tung; in Form IV Lau Chan; in Form III Woo Loy Kung; in Form II Wong Chiu Fan; in Form I Chiu Chung Shun.

Sports have failen below last year's high record. Swimming, cricket and tennis have been indulged in, but in school matches our results are much poorer than in 1907. In the inter-schools' sports Ho Wing Hung won the high jump, with Ho Wing Kin second : Peterson gained second place in the Hurdle Race and the 600 yards flat race; and Ho Wing Hungand Ho Wing Kin second in the Siamese. With a new cement tennis court, an improved cricket pitch and a gymnasium which we hope is to form part of our present building operations, physical oulture will receive closer

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St. Stephen's "old boys" are seeking a University career in foreign countries in increasing numbers. This year one has gone to Japan; 5 to England and a still larger number to America. For years to come there will be those who will seek their high education abroad. It is well they should do so. Yet many who would otherwise go afield for their degrees will begin to look nearer home when our University is established. Just how far the proposed University will effect present relationships with Universities in other lands cannot be determined until its courses of study with detalls are fixed. It should attract to itself the main body of our students. We hope it will. Its teaching, we presume, will not cover ground already occupied by existing institutions, but will be rather complementary to what is now bejoy done in the Colleges and schools on the island. It is to be hoped that a literary course will be offered in addition to scientific schools. The necessary lectures for an Arts course could doubtless be arranged at a small cost to the Authorities, and they would be appreciated by a certain section of the students. Such a course should include the Christian Scriptures in English as, at least, an optional subject, as well as the Chinese classics. Experience has taught that the ethical training received from the Bible is welcomed by a large majority of the students; that its spiritual teaching • mes as a Divine revelation to not a few and that the fuller the knowledge of the Book the higher is their appreciation of our best English literature, both in prose and verse. This suggestion would seem the more timely now that Oxford University has decided to exempt from Responsions Chinese students who at the local Senior. examination pass in Classical Chinese, English Language and Literature, Aritl metic and Geometry or Algebra. Th statute was the result of several coferences with the Secretary in Oxford la year. The certainty of immediate a mission into a home University has r moved one of the serious difficulties which confronted Chinese students proceeding England for their higher education. The University of London is also disposed meet Chinese students with consideration

We rejoice that the road to learning England has been made smoother students from China. We believe, how ever, that the proposed University Hongkong, without lowering the standar may, by adaptation to local requiremen prove itself more serviceable to the majori of students in the far East than the old home Universities. The interests of S Stephen's College are closely bound with this whole question

CHINESE BRONZES IN THE BRITISH MUSEUM.

Some interesting Chinese bronze statu of defties have just been added to t collections in the British Museum. Sm bronze statues of deities and rulers common enough in English museums, a even in the homes of English people. T British Museum, however, has come in possession of two bronzes images of Chine workmanship which are of rather an exce tional type. These striking figures a now placed on guard at the top of t north-east staircase. They are both repr sented in a sitting posture, and one, t larger of the two, is mounted on elaborate chair with side arms, almo in the nature of a throne. Both subjects are apparently semi-div persons, and the statues, indeed, are lieved to have-come from some temple the neighbourhood of Peking. The lar of the two figures represents a distinguish personage of decidedly dignified mien, w hands placidly folded. He is wearing rol of great magnificence, and the work is really admirable design and most carefu carried out, the brass in some places be cumningly inlaid with colour. The figure is 8 ft. in height and weighs about ei tons. The smaller image, without berepulsive, is less pleasing in appearan but the workmanship is of the same his class character. The height of the fig is a little more than 4 ft.

NEW MUSKETRY COURSE.

A new system has been devised and approved by the Army Council for bringing the shooting of the new Territorial battalions up to a higher efficiency. The courses contained in the Volunteer regula tions and the musketry regulations of 1903 American, German, French and are to be discontinued in favour of this scheme, which, however, is only provisional and is to be reported on at the end of the year. The musketry training will new be divided into two separate parts instruction and test. Each territorial will be tested annually on an open range in grouping and application of fire, map shooting, and rapid fire and the allowance of ammunition for each will be ninety rounds. Small-arm ammunition will be commutable S into aiming cartridge and blank. Travelling allowance will be permitted at the rate of ld. a mile for each journey of not less than two miles actually performed. An efficient soldier as regards musketry is to be one who has reached the qualification standard, or, having failed to do this, is certified by his commanding officer to have O made at least three visits to a range, in-R cluding the standard test, and fired at least fifty rounds of ball ammunition or their equivalent. The results of the annual test will be published in the order of merit of k 1004 | amire.

His Britannic Majesty's Ships on the China Station

Name,	Class	Tons.	Gunz	L.H.P.	Oaptain.	Last reported
lacrity	despatch-vessel	1700	12	8000	Comdr. C. T. M. Fuller	Hongkong
Atrea	erniser, 2nd class	4360	10	9000	Captain E. C. Ryan	Hongkong
edford	cruiser, let class	9700	—		Capt. E. S. Erskind	Hongkong
rambie	river gunboat	710	2	900	Com. Hon. K. U. B. Bridgeman	Hongkong
ritomart	river gunboat	710	2	900	LieutComdr. F. B. Noble	Hongkong
admus	eioop.	1070	6	1400	Comdr. H. L. P. Heard	Hongkong
herub	water tank and tug	390	-	300		Hongkong
Но	gools	1070	6	1400	Comdr. C. T. Borrett	Chinking
ame	torpedo hoat destroyer	360.	. 6	5700	LieutComdr. Gresson	Hongkong
lora	cruiset, 2nd class	4380	10	7000	Capt. R. Nugent	Hongkong
Jandy	torpedo hoat destroyer	275	6	4000	LieutComdr. B. J. D. Guy	Hongkong
lart.	torpedo beat destroyer	275	Ü	4000	LieutCom. Dickens	Hongkona
anus	torpedo boat destroyer	280	6	3900	Lieut. Comdr. Freemantle	Hengkong
ent	cruiser. 1st class	9000	14	22,000	Capt. G. La Marescaux	Hongkong
(ing Alfred	cruiser. 1st class	14,000	14	3 0, 000	Capt. Clinton Baker	Singapore
linsha	river ganboat	616	•	1200	LtComdr. S. Tennyson	Yanguna
Monmouth	cruiser, Int class	9800	_		Capt. Geo. W. Smith	Bhanghai
foorhen	river gunboat	180	2	800	Lt. Comdr. C. C. Walcott	West Rives
lightingal	river gunboat	85		240	LieutCom. Roy	- Yanginsu
ttor	torpedo boat desiroyas	350	6	6330	The Committee of the Co	Hongkong
Cobin	river gunboat.	85	1 2	240	Lt. Com. J. White	West River
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dqin	river gunboat	85	2	240	Lt. Comdy. A. Dixon	Yangters
laku	torpedo boat destroyer	250	6 6	6500	Lt. Comdr. D. Strath	Hongkong
anar	receiving ship	180		900	Commodere H. Lyon LtComdr. Godfrey	Hongkong
l al	river gunboab	2 .		800	LieutComdr. M. J. Speer	Yangtare Wangkana
Chlatle	river gunboab	710 355	6	800 6300	Comdr. Stevenson	Hongkong
7irago	torpedo boat destroys	620	·	450	Comdr. H. P. Douglas	Hongkong
Vaterwitch	surveying ship	360	6	5900	LieutCom. J. Kiddle	Hongkon:
Vhiting	torpedo boso destroyer	195	2	800	LiestCom. Jno. F. Knox	Hongkong Upper Yangka
Vidgeon	vriver gunboab	150	2	500	HentCom. Cottrell-Dormer	Opper Tanger
Woodcock Woodlark	river gunboab river gunboab	150	2	500	Lt. Comer. G. R. Livingstone	Opper Tangin

flag of Vice-Admiral Sir Hedworth Lambton, Commander-in-Chief.

Foreign Mon-of-war on the China and Japan Station

Name.	Flag and Description.	Tons.	Gune	H.P.	Ospisine,	
Kaiserin Elizabeth	Austro-Hungarian cruiser	4000			Capt. Herzberg	Shanghai
Leopard	Austro-Hungarian cruiser	1530		–	Capt. Gottfried	Hongkong
Acheron	French armoured cruises	1830	10	1700	Lieut. Bertrand	Salgon
Alger	French cruiser	3420	22	5100	Capt. Delson	Saigon
louette	French gunboat	506	7	400	Commander Badin	Raigon
Argus	French river gunboan	180 4210	16	670 8300	Lieut, Andouard Comdr. Rochan	Hongkong Shonobat
Braix	French cruiser French cunbost	150	1 -		Reserve	Shanghat Salgon
Coronade Jomete	French gunboat	600	6	600	Comar. J. Gervals	Saigon
Decidée	French gunboah	845	10	1000	Lieut. de Linares	Shanghai
D'Entrecastesus,†	French cruiser	11,248	26	19,500	Capt. Thibault Reserve	Shanghal
Estoo	French gunboat	141			Heut, Combes	Saigon Saigon
Esturg eou , Fronde	French sub-marine French destroyer	350	7	803		Salgon
penzi Rivisse	French ganboat		-	_		Halphong
Jacquin	French gunboat	900	6	308	Reserve	Halphong
Lion	French gunboat	600	_	1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 -	Reserve Lieut. Marrs	Salgon
Lynz	French sub-marine	1625	10	9000	Condr. Ragot da la Touche	Salgon Salgon
Manche Mosquet	French surveying-ship French destroyer	307	6	300	Lieut. Roche Kerandrson	Salgo
Olr g Mosques	French gunbost	_		—	Lieut. de Maindreville	Upper Yangtes
Paiho	French gunboat	130	_		Lieut. Puech	Tengks
Pintolot	French torpedo-boat	350	, T,	890	Comdr. Mortenol Edent. Morris	Hongay
Protea	French sub-marine	9437	-	6071	Capt. Drouet	Salgoa Balgoa
Redoutable *	French battleahip (reserve) French gunboat	1798	10	1700	Lieut. Seriot	Salgon
Styz Takiang	French gunboat	\	-		-	Yangtas
Takou	French destroyer	250	8	-	Reserve	Salgon
Vauban	French torpedo-depot]	Lieut. Bihel	Hongay
Veteran	French torpedo-depot	123	7	500	Heat. Damoulin	Cap St. Jacque Sikiang
Vigilanto Vipero	French gunboat French gunboat	475	1 -		Reserve	Salgon
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Arcons	German cruiser	· —			Capt. von Hippel	Batavia
Furst Blamarck	German flagship	10,690	35	14,000	Captain Wurmbach Comdr. Küsel	Saigon
ltis	German gunboat	900	10	1800 1800	Count von Posadowsky-Wehner	Hengkong.
Aguar	German gunbeat German cruiser	3250	==	_	Capt. Henser	Amoy Amoy
Leipzig Luchs	German gunboat	900	10	1344	Comdr. Bölken	Shanghat
Niobe	German cruiser	2800	.		Capt. Langemak	Tsingtes
S, 90	German torpedo-boat	400			Lieut, Jakobi Lieut, Hassa	Tsingtan
Taku	German torpedo-boat	280 900	10	1300	Comdr. von Koss	Tringtan Saigon
Tiger Talmatan	German gunboat German river gunboat	223	5	1300	Capt. Lieut. Fortsch	Canbon Rives
Taingtau Vaterlaud	German river gunboat	223	8	600	Capt. Lieut. Toussaint	Yangtens Rive
Vorwart	German river gunboat	_	3	500	Lieut. Riechers	Yangtens Rive
		0145			Baron de Saint Pierre	
Vesuvio	Italian croiser	2145	1 -		Daton de Camit Flerre	Hongkong
Rio Lima	Portuguese gunboat	720	_	1 −.	Captain Pedroso	Macao
	U. S. torpedo-boat destroyer	420		8000	Ensign David Lyons	Cavite
Barry Callac	U. S. corpado-soat	600	10	208	Lieux Guy Whitlook	Shanghai
Chattanooga	U. S. craises	3100	25	4500	Comde. Frank Marble	Shanghal
Chauncey	U. S. torpedo-boat destroyer	420	1.7	8000	Lloub. Frank McCrary	Cavite
Cleveland	U. S. cruiser	8918	19	7500	Comdr. J. T. Hewton	Cavite
Colorado	U. S. cruisez	13,500 1710			Capt. S. H. Staunton Comde. J. H. Sears	Ornieing
Concord	U. S. gunboat U. S. torpedo-boat destroyer	420	7	8000	Ensign G. V. Stewarb	Shanghad Cavita
Dale Decauter	U. S. torpedo-boat destroyer	420		8000	Ensign C. W. Nimits	Cavita
Denver	U. S. craises	3200	18	7500	Comdr. W. B. Caperton	Jauan
Galveston	U. S. cruiser	3100	25 B	5400 1800	Comdr. B. W. Hodges Comdr. B. M. Hughes	Shanghal 3
Helena	U. S. gunbost	1397	1	1000	Capt. O. Thomas	Shanghai Cruising
Maryland	U. S. cruiser U. S. monicos	4000		8000	Lh.Comdr. Miller.	Olongapo
Monadnock Monterey	U. S. monitor	4000			Ideut. D. W. Todd	Olengapel
Panther	U. S. gunbost	1200		-	Comdr. Nelson	Manila
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Miscellaneous 11 a m .- Prize Distribution at Ellis Kadoorie College. Goods per Mongolia undelivered at noon

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General Memoranda. WATSON | MONDAY, January 11:-

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5.15 p.m.—Annual Meeting of Y.M.C.A. FRIDAY, January 22:-Chinese New Year.

ATURDAY, January 23 :--Mr A. J. Brackenbury, Private Secretary, to H.E. the Governor, leaves by the s.s. Delhi.

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Honorong, Friday, January 8, 1909.

RACE SUICIDE.

Ir was President Rossevelar who coined families, because the difficulties of life were produced, and the heels were found to be three inches high. A verdict of accithe telling phrase, "race-suicide," in are thereby augmented. The movement, the course of one of the many long which began at the top of society, has Messages with which he regaled Con- now reached the bottom. The peasant gress during his strenuous term of office. with the thrift and the somewhat cynical There are such distinctions as the He wished to arouse his people to a avarice which is a common characteristic sense of the dangers which an over- of his class, refuses to be burdened developed civilization and a refined with more than two children. "Why War and are only for Officers. selfishness bring in their train, and in should we want to multiply mouths doing so he pointed out that in America when there is nothing to put into as in Europe, the families of the native- them?" say these peasant philosophers. born were steadily growing smaller. And it is very hard to answer them. Where two generations before the If you reply "The State has need favorite in the palace as well as with the average family was generally composed of your children. France must keep four years I have been getting large supplies of six children, to-day we find her rank among the nations of the for myself but for friends and nelatives. I them consisting of one, seldom more world?' the obvious answer of the peasthan two, very occasionally three and is: "Then let the State provide for children. Critics of the President in the children. Since the highest intelliformed him that what the nation was gence in the land has begun by restrict companions. I shall never feel tired of loosing in quantity it was making up ing its families—because to increase the past."—N. Rusqa Row, Frivate for in quality, but Mr Roossvill, with responsibilities means to and immeasure Rajair of Travagueors. For sale by all the lessons of Rome's decline and fall ably to the burdens of life, to weight offensists and store to personal

COF PARIS, behind him, refused to entertain their one's self in the struggle for existence arguments. And many will agree with to hopelessly clog the career of the him. It is a thousand pities that the professional man-it can hardly, with phenomenon to which the President logic and consistency, repreachdrew attention is so widely spread None of the leading nations of Europe are exempt, for the same causes are at ing Gowns, Paris Models work among them all. But France still leads the van, and the danger which she has to face thereby increases with the passage of the years. As a correspondent of the Pall Mall Gazette profound peace, the national indebtedrecently pointed out, it is no nev story that the population of France 679 remains stationary, but it is a new and disquieting feature that the death exceed the births. The population ber 12th, 1908, in London, Grorge Harry this brilliant and gallant nation is Dann, to Emily Carr (Cissie) second daughter of the late Mr and Mrs Albert absolutely diminishing. Last year Jackson, of Leamington Spa, Warwick-773,000 French children were born; 793,000 persons died. A simple sum in subtraction shows that the decrease in population last year was 20,000. Evidently we have here a ver serious state of affairs: On morrow of the war of 1870 France seemed to be repeopling hersel as if nature were anxious to fill up the depleted ranks of her army. Then the births represented 950,000 a year. Alas! this "ardeur reparatrice" quickly abated. In twenty years the natality tables have fallen 200,000, and now the deaths outnumber the newly born. An article in Le Matin calls attention in grave language, supported by startling figures, to the same subject. Its author is M. MESSIMY, who is an authority on military matters. The writer points out that if the present low

> years there will be a loss of fifty to sixty thousand men in the army effectives. The full gravity of the crisis is realized when one proceeds to an examination of the figures. In seven years French natality has fallen from 860,000 to 774,000, that is to say, 12,000 per annum. Statistics for 1907 are not yet published, but the general figures are known; it is known, also, that the year holds the record for a low birth startling fact, that last year, 33,000 Mongolia, and Tenyo Maru. fewer infants were born in France than in the year 1906. Nor is this attributable to any particular external cause. There were no epidemics, and

rate of natality continues, and the dead

overtop the living, in fifteen or twenty

was good. Never before since the commoncement of the ninetenth century has the total of French children brought into the world in one year fallen below

It is the custom in France to treat as a huge joke the efforts of Senator Pior. which have been unrelenting for years past, to remedy this state of things, to arouse the public conscience. But Senator Prot is as powerless Mrs. Partington with her mop keep out the Atlantic. He proposed a grants to fathers of large families, as these things are of no avail to stem the current of natality, which is fast

running out.

birth rate of France is over-civilization, a refined sensitiveness and a super-refined selfishness. No one wishes to have big fire, she was burnt to death. The boots

Beattle's Leper relief fund, writes: "Durlower elements of the nation for having followed its example."

It is certain that the cost of living increases in France. During the last twenty years nearly every item in famil expenditure has risen in price. Though the country is happily in a state ness grows no less. Whereas, Asquire announced the other day in the House of Commons that, next year, the public debt of England would stand at the level of twenty years ago, no Prime Minister in France would ever have the hardihood to make a speech of that sort. It would not be true. The reverse is true. As M. HARDUN points out, one of the reasons underlying this difference is hat in England no private member of Parliament may propose a scheme involving the expenditure of public funds In France this is not the case. Half a Deputy's popularity and position come from the fact that he can and does propose public expenditure. When there is a dearth of employment in his department it is easy to suggest that so many hundreds of millions of francs be devoted to the construction of a canal or some other great enterprise which nobody wants, but for which everybody will have to pay; and so the nation's debt grows heavier and heavier. But to return to the question of "race-suicide." The solution of the problem is difficult to foresee, for it is plain that appeals to patriotism or to the legislature are useless in the present state of public opinion. Decadent Rome had the same problem to deal with and, as we know, shirked it, with the result that the robust nations of the North with their higher ideals and purer domesticities swept her away. Is our own much-vaunted Western civilization digging its own grave with the same instruments which Imperial Rome used to such disastrous

NEWS OF THE DAY.

We had three 20,000 ton steamers in rate. We are face to face with the the harbour this morning-the Minnesota

The first blue-funnel steamer to berth at the new Holt wharves at Blackhead! point was the Deucalion, which went along side yesterday morning.

His Excollency Sir Frederick Lugard has kindly consented to distribute the prizes to the boys of the Diocesan School and Orphanage on Wednesday, at noon.

The social which is being arranged in connection with the Y.M.C.A., for the 30th inst, promises to be one of the best ever held in the Association rooms, and al members and their friends are invited.

the second officer of the S. S. Fook Sang energed a seaman and dock boy at the Magistracy with stealing two \$10 notes, one 5 Yen note, various coins, and a steel chest, valued in all at \$40. After hearing the evidence Mr J. R. Wood discharged both defendants.

system of medals for mothers, special have re-nominated the following gentlemen | colonel in 1884, and colonel in 1888. He to serve for a further period of three was present in charge of a detachment of years :- Hon. H. W. Slade, Hon. Dr J. M. the Royal Engineers at the naval operawell as a lowered taxation for the Atkinson, Dr A. P. Wilder, Rev. F. T. tions at the Strait of Simonoscki, Lapan, householder with a full quiver, but Johnson and Mr A. S. D. Cousland, They in 1864, and was mentioned in despatches. have also nominated Mr A. H. Harris, and Mr J. R. Wood to fill vacancies.

The Birmingham coroner the other day Cure drives the sche away and brings the tried." For sale by all chemists and store investigated a case in which death was due sweetness back. Costs little, does much. 9 keepers. The cause underlying the dwindling to the wearing of high-hoeled boots. woman was going downstairs with a lighted lamp in her hand when she stumbled owing dental death was returned.

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Distinguished Conduct Medal and the Distinguished Service Medal. Both distinctions were issued previously to the Boer

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CANTON. Mr H. W. Boyd, Treasurer of D

ing the winter months of the past few years, Dr Andrew Beattie, of Canton, has issued rice and clothing to the poor unfortunate lepers, to assist them to keep soul and body together when they cannot get about to beg. Perhaps you say it were better that soul and body were separated in the case of these sufferers. Let them die. said. Not so. Life to them is as dear to you and me. But what a life! Outeasts, beggars, despised and loathed. Insufficiently clothed and fed in summer, what about the cold of winter? Will you help as formerly? About 700 were relieved last year through the benevolence friends in Hongkong and Canton, and the

aid was timely and greatly appreciated." Contributions may be sent to the office of the China Mail, which has from year to year brought this need to public notice; or they may be sent direct to Mr H. W. Boyd at Canton. We are heartily in sympathy with the work which Dr. Beattie has been conducting among the lepers of Canton. The present appeal is for no bogus need : it is very real, and we feel sure that, as in former years, it will not fall on deaf ears.

LADY, LUGARD'S ILLNESS.

His Excellency the Governor (Sir F Lugard), speaking at the prize distribution at St. Stephen's College to-day, regretted the absence of Lady Lugard, saying she was lying very seriously ill and had been in somewhat dangerous condition for the last few days.

RESPECT FOR THE COURT.

A case was called on at the Supreme Court, this morning, before Mr Justice Gompertz, in which a native woman was concerned, and on going near the witness box she immediately sank down on her knees in Chinese fashion, but was sharply told to rise by the Court interpreter.

A DECEASED DEFENDANT.

"Would your Lordship adjourn this case sine die," asked Mr H. L. Dennys, Jr., when Mr Justice Compertz was fixing the dates for hearing the cases at the Supreme Court, this morning. . "I believe the defendant is dead." The case was adjourned as requested.

CATHOLIC SYNOD.

Will Meet at Hongkong.

The Catholic Bishops of South China, the Right Rev's T. Masot, of Foochow, A Clemmente of Amoy, A. Lavert of Kwangsi, A. Merel of Canton and D. Pozzoni of Hong-kong, with their respective theologians, Tytam Byewush Tytam Intermediate Wong Nai Chung A. Merel of Canton and D. Pozzoni of Hong-Road, next week for the purpose of holding a synod to discuss matters pertinent to the administration of their missions.

The Right Rev. Bishop A. Lavert being indisposed, will be represented by his delegate, the Very Rev. Father C. L. Heraud. The formal opening of the synod will take place on Sunday, at 8 o'clock, when, at the Catholic Cathedral, a solemn Pontifical Mass will be celebrated by one of the Bishops with the assistance of all the other dignitaries and the clergy, to which celebration all catholics are invited.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Major-Gen. G. W. Phillipps-Treby died on Dec. 5 at Plympton, at the age of eighty-five. He had no war service, but was with the Royal Artillery in Canada, St. Helena, Ceylon, Singapore, and Hongkong. He retired in 1879.

Col. J. H. Crowdy, late Royal Engineers, died on Dec. 5 at the age of sixty-nine. He became lieutenant in the Army in 1857. The Y.M.C.A. Board of Directors captain in 1871, major in 1878, lieutenant-

GREAT BRITAIN ATTACKED

BY VIENNA NEWSPAPERS:

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Ordinance 3 of 1894.) Louton, Jenuary 8. The attacks by the newspapers of

Vienna on Great Britain have culminated in an exceptionally violent article which "Chloroform them," as a visitor recently has appeared in the Neuefrei Presse complaining bitterly of Great Britain stirring up hostility between Austria and Servia.

Both Servia and Turkey declare that Great Britain's sole aim is to demonstrate the danger any country would be: in, in standing by Germany.

INTEL NATIONAL UNI-VERSITY FOR CHINA

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LONDON, January 8. At the instance of an influential committee composed of Cambridge and Oxford graduates, Lord William Cecil is proceeding to China to study a means of establishing an international university with the co-operation of the American Missions by replacing numerous smaller missionary establishments, the idea being to train the Chinese so that they will eventually fill the Chairs in the university and replace foreigners in

CHINA AND JAPAN.

the various services.

(Wah Tsz Yat Po's Service.)

Peking, January 7. Negotiations in connection with the dispute with Japan regarding Chentao, in northern Korea, are about to be

THE WATER SUPPLY.

Level and Storage of Water in Reservoirs on the 1st January, 1909 :-CITY AND HILL DISTRICT WATER WORKS

LEVEL. Tytam, 6 ft. 8 in. below overflow Tytam Byewash 28 ft. 2 in. below overflow 19 ft. 5 in. below overflow 23 ft. v in. below overflow Tytam Intermediate 0ft, 14 in. below overflow. Pokrajam, 8 ft, 04 in. 2 ft. 43 in. above overflow 8 ft. 7} in below overflow below overflow Wong Nai Chung, 88 ft. 45 ft. 2 in. below overflow 4 in below overflow. 1009. 287,650,000

Total............ 577,884,000 548,968,000 Consumption of water in the City

and Hill District during the month of 129,072,000 185,540,000 galloni Consumption per head 21,6 gallons Constant supply throughout the City luring December in both years.

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W. CHATHAM. Water Authority.

FROM A NOVA SCOTIA PUBLISHER MR H. G. Harris, publisher of the Advertiser, Kentville, N.S., makes the following statement: "I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for myself A TEROBEING head takes all the sweet- and family and find it to be one of the best ness out of life. Stearns' Headache medicines for coughs and colds that Lever

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PERSIAN AFFAIRS.

SAAD-ED-DOWLEH APPOINTED FOREIGN MINISTER.

(Exclusive Service supplied by Reuter, via Bombay.)

London, January 7. Reuter's Teheran correspondent reports that Saad-ed-Dowleh has been appointed Foreign Minister of Persi strong man of liberal views gives promise of an improvement in the situation.

ERSTWHILE VICEROY OF CANTON

(Wah Tar Yat Po's Service.)

Peking, January 7. The Prince Regent expressed a desire to restore Shun Chen Hsin, ex-Viceroy of Canton, to office, but His Royal Highness was advised by a certain Grand Councillor that Shun sympathises with Kang Yeu Wai, a reformer, and his restoration to office would have been against the desire of the late Empress-Dowager had Her Imperial Majesty still been alive.

VICEROY OF CHILI

TO BE TRANSFERRED.

(Wah Taz Yat Po's Service.)

Peking, January 7. The Prince Regent intends to transfer Yang Shih Shang, Viceroy of Chili, to a post on the Metropolitan Board and appoint Yuen Shu Fan, Governor Shan Tung, to succeed him.

YUAN SHIH-KAI'S DIS MISSAL.

AMERICAN REPRESENTA TIONS.

(Wah Tex Yot Po's Service.)

Peking, January 7. On account of so many denunciations made by Censors the ultimate fate of Yuan Shih Kai is still in the balance.

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London, January 7. At Washington it is reported that the American Minister at Peking has memoranda form the basis of our present been instructed to make representadismissal of Yuan Shih-kai.

RUSSIAN LOAN OF FORTY-EIGHT MILLIONS.

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London, January 7. millions sterling, bearing interest at in London, Paris, and St Petersburg on January 23rd. The loan probably be issued at 89 or 90.

THE ITALIAN CALAMITY.

2,300 RESCUED AND 2,000 BURIED.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail Copyright protected under Ordinance 5 of 1894.) LONDON, January 7.

the ruins at Messina, and that yester-There is but little hope that any more will be rescued. About 2,000 bodies lalready know-the ready liberality of our have been buried.

THE SUICIDE OF MR FARROW.

(From Our Own Correspondent.) took place under distressing circumstances in value in the near future. The motive of Mr C. J. Farrow, of the China Mutual underlying these gifts therefore is not that the course of the morning was seen by to provide for the education of his own which he succumbed. All indications Warden's stipend. Instead therefore of point to the fact that the unhappy arend large some of manner to be stated. was brought in.

motive to account for the deed, Mr Far. recognise the generous spirit which anirow a hourses was in a good way, he was | mates our benefactors, and we greatly spragently enjoying good health, and when our educational methods of which they that sant was contwartly, at least, in a nor- have now had six years experience. The that state of hand. The functal took place College Council is glad to have this opporon Wednesday stratuon, to the Public bunity of publicly thanking them one and Telephone No. 787.

PRIZE DISTRIBUTION AT ST. STEPHEN'S COLLEGE.

The Proposed Hongkong

University.

prize distribution take place, but the extension of the operations of the institution was marked by the laying of the foundstion stone of the south wing of the College,

who was accompanied by Miss Hancock, and Capt. Mitchell Taylor, A. D. C.

history of St. Stephen's College. The inception of the College was due to the fore. sight and energy of the Venerable Archdeacon Banistor, and to the encouragement given to the suggestion by such Chinese gentlemen as the Honourable Dr Ho Kai, C.M.G., and the Honourable Mr Wei Yuk, C.M.G. In February 1902, on the motion of Arthdencon Banister, the Church Missionary Society South China Conference passed a resolution urging upon the Parent Committee of the C.M.S. the desirability of establishing a College of Western learning in Hongkong, having as its leading principles:—(1) That the College be a missionary institution. (2) That at least two University graduates be maintained on its staff. (3) That the College be selfsupporting.

About a year later, in March 1903, the College was opened under the direction of the College Council consisting of the Right Reverend the Bishop of the Diocese, the Secretary of the Church Missionary Society in South China, and the Warden of the College-the Rev. E. J. Barnett, M.A. the present Warden, being placed charge. Subsequently the Rev. F. T. Johnson, M.A., and Dr J. H. Saunders were elected members of the Council. Working upon the principles before enunciated the College has steadily progressed. In six years the attendance has risen from 7 to 125 students. The teaching staff has multiplied from 2 to 6 English masters, four of whom are University. graduates, and the Chinese staff from one to four teachers. The income has kept pace with the expenditure, the students paying fully in fees the cost of their education. Further, the inculcation of morality based upon the Christian Scriptures through daily lessons therein has made for the

development of character and good citizen-Thus the principles laid down the resolution of Conference mentioned have been adhered to, and find their justification in to-day's proceedings. Some three years ago it became evident that an enlargement of accommodation would soon be necessary to meet increasing demands from students. The late Right Reverend Bishop Hoare, D.D., spent some of his last hours in Hongkong before leaving on that ing the interests of all concerned. These extension scheme. Through disaster and depression in the Colony the erection of tions to China in reference to the additional buildings was delayed, but their need was not forgotten. His Lordship the Bishop has won not a few friends for the [College, and during his furlough in England the Warden was able to interest many members of the Society in its welfare. On his return to Hongkong in September last a committee of Chinese gentlemen was at I once formed for the purpose of raising chairman, Mr S. W. Ta'o as secretary, A Russian loan of forty-eight and treasurer of the Building Fund, tothe erection of a three-storied building providing masters' quarters, suitable accommodation for over thirty boarders. dining hall, assembly hall, and offices. Mr Lai Kwai Pui by a generous gift of \$5,000 set an example of liberality which assured success to our undertaking. (Applause.) Other gentlemen have readily followed with subscriptions as under:-Mr Lai Kwai Pui, \$5000; Cheung Sam Woo, \$1000; Mr Lo Cho Shan, \$1000; Mr Lau Po Tann, \$1000 Mr Chiu Yu Tin, \$500; Mr Ng Li Hing, \$500; Mr Wong Shiu Tong, \$500; Mr Yue. Youk Laan, \$500; Mr Yung Yik Ting, \$500; \$500; Mr Leung Hiu Cho, \$500; Mr Ng It is officially reported that hitherto Pak To. \$500; Mr Ip Hok Ling, \$5.0 2,300 persons have been rescued from Dr Wan Tun Mo, \$400; Mr Chau Siu Ki. \$300 ; Mr Wong Fa Nung, \$300 ; Hon. Dr Ho Kai, \$200; Mr S. W. Tso, \$200; Mr day evening a dozen more were saved. Mok Tso Chun, 8200; Mr Cheng Wo Hin,

These figures do but emphasise what we Chinese fellow-citizens when they are invited to supply substantial evidence of their interest in any movement which commends itself to their judgment. Donors to the building fund also secure the right to nominate near relations for vacancies as they occur. Such nominees do not receive ! any financial advantage; but on admission AMOY, January 6: they will be given preference over the sons On Tuesday, the 5th inst., the death of non-subscribers a privilege appreciat-Tale Insurance Co. Mr Farrow went to his of charity. Friends of the College recogbusiness as usual on Tuesday, and during mise that it is the duty of every man children. From the beginning students of several people, as late at 12.30. In the St. Stephen's have paid fees sufficiently high carly afternoon he was found in his office to meet the whole expense of the working with a terrible wound in his head from of the College, with the exception of the apend large sums of money upon buildings. gentleman met his fate at his own hands, parents and guardians have come forward and at the Coroner's shouest held on with promises to furnish the cost of erect-Wednesday morning a vertice so that effect ing a new wing to the College to enable us with more satisfaction to ourselves and to Though rumour is rife there is no clear | shem. None the less we, on our part. approciate this mark of their confidence in all for the sympathy and apportagement

received from the beginning, and it always remain associated in my mind with dis the beginning of wisdom. Chinese home in England as a memento of to-day, gentlemen have all along given such valuable (Applause) In the second place I must say able suggestions in every movement to- with very great regret my wife is unable to the foundation stone of the south wing of when the wing is completed and the college St Stephen's College.—(Applause.)

One of the students, Fung Lau Tsai,

declaring it well and truly laid. temporary building attached to the College,

the direct assistance of the Hon. Dr Ho alluded to the subject of a University for witnessed that day the value of Chris- The Waters of Jordan, by Horace Annesley Kai, and other gentlemen. The secretary Hongkong. It was on this platform a year tian othics. They believed that the The Gorgeous Borgia, Justin Huntly A and treasurer of the Building Fund, together with the members of committee which were in my mind on this matter. I character, and that there was nothing Salthaven, by W. W. Jacobs. have gratuitously devoted much time to said how much I should like to see Houg- that tended to form character better than a the rate of 4½ per cent, is to be issued our project. The present plans include kong set an example to the various knowledge of the Christian Scriptures. At, colonies in the East and establish a university in this colony. I confess that when I The Chinese sent their boys there with that

have been held at Government House to what the warden had said. He has return- were thirteen, and this year nine. But discuss how the project might be fulfilled. ed again to the charge at some length, and the Rev. Warden has explained to us that In a word, the position to day is that Mr he has given expression to his views as to | the reason was that a serious epidemic of Mody's offer remains open for six months the faculties which should be included in plague interfered with the curriculum of and if at the end of that period an adequate | the university, and as to its general education and that the school had to be endowment fund is in sight he will com- scope. I would only say one word. It is, temporarily closed. I hope that you will mence to creet the buildings. I hope to I think at present premature to say what return to and exceed the numbers of 1907. morrow to issue a paper which I have drawn faculties or chairs shall be included in I should like to offer congratulations also up in the form of an appeal stating the university scheme until we are quite on this excellent college magazine. I had the objects and the scope of the university certain that the scheme will fructify. His not seen it before. I was for several and asking all to help to raise the endow- Lordship has said that we might regard it | years editor of my college magazine, and ment fund. The project of a university is as almost certain-I forget his words—that I take a great interest in all college one which is very important to this college. it was almost an assured project. I am magazines. I never fail to look at the

I hope that St. Stephen's will provide afraid it is hardly so yet. We shall not know Dragon Magazine from Queen's College, many of the undergraduates for Hongkong until we see whether friends will come and I hope you will do me the honour of

Hongkong, Sepagenber 2, 1982

wishes to add to those already mentioned St. Stephen's College because it was here the name of still enother erstwhile that the first words were spoken which lad friend, no longer with us. Mr Wel to the scheme taking practical thought. whose name is perpetuated Ladies and gentlemen, I have been tempted in the Wei On Scholarship. This into what really is somewhat of a digresfulcrum of parental confidence and appresion on the subject of this university in cistion has rendered our task of raising St. Stephen's College comparatively easy. Nay warden in the address he has delivered, but Governor Outlines the Position.

To-day marked an important epoch in the history of St. Stephen's College, Hongkong, for not only did the annual modern requirements, with the fabric of the students and boys of St. Stephen's for the more, it has incited us to responsive my presence here to-day is primarily to by the foundation stone for the extension of the buildings of this college. In the first place, I must thank you most heartly, the students and boys of St. Stephen's for the more, it has incited us to responsive my presence here to-day is primarily to by the foundation stone for the extension of the buildings of this college. In the first place, I must thank you most heartly, the students and boys of St. Stephen's for the extension of the buildings of this college. In the first place, I must thank you most heartly, the students and boys of St. Stephen's for the extension of the buildings of this college. In the first place, I must thank you most heartly, the students and boys of St. Stephen's for the extension of the buildings of this college. In the first place, I must thank you most heartly, the stephen's for the students and boys of St. Stephen's for the students and boys of St. Stephen's for the students and boys of St. Stephen's for the stephen's for the state of the buildings of this college. In the foundation stone is the buildings of this college. In the foundation stone is the buildings of this college. our educational system for character build- and which came altogether as a surprise to ing based upon the fear of God' which me and which will always remain in my

The inclusion in the Cabinet of this the entire cost of the erection of which will wards advance, that the Council hopes to be here to-day as she would have wished, be borne by parents and guardians of the secure the advantage of their continued because she is lying seriously ill and has advice in the further development and been in a somewhat dangerous condition management of the College. The College for the last few days. She would have, had A large gathering assembled for the Council heartly welcomes the proposal for it been possible, desired very much to be stone-laying ceremony, which was performed by His Excellency Sir Francis Lugard, ago we drew attention to the new need the foundation stone. I congratulate you arising in our midst for those Chinese most heartily on the public spirit and students who wished to continue their generosity which has emabled you to raise Mr A. J. Brackenbury, Private Secretary, studies at home, and to specialise in cer- the subscriptions without appealing to and Capt. Mitchell Taylor, A. D. C.

tain branches of learning. Wo feel sure mission funds for the extension of these
that your Excellency's timely effort in this buildings. I am glad to hear in the report Hewett.

The Rev. E. J. Barnett said:—Your materialised into University buildings, we quarters for boarders. The aim of the Excellency, my Lord Bishop, Ladies and trust it will be recognised that the Chinese founders of this college was to develop the Gentlemen:-The important event in which gentlemen who are raising this present character of the boys and not merely to we are taking part to-day offers a fitting building, have, in so doing, not only extrain their intellects; and in my opinion as hibited a public spirit as benefactors of the I have said before, since I have been in the opportunity for reviewing in brief the short | Colony, but have also contributed in colony, there is no way in which that can no small degree to those wider educa- be better done than by having boarders in tional plans in which we are all inter- the schools who can mix in the daily interested. We believe further, that this Col. course of social life with the masters and lege, when called upon, will be found staff and where they can be influenced for ready and able to fulfil whatever part may good in all their relations in life. I am be allotted it in assisting to carry through | confident that the tone of St. Stephen's a sound scheme of suitable education for will always remain a pride and a pleasure the rising generation of the great nation to those who take an interest in the school for which St. Stephan's exists. It has and to those who have contributed to the therefore been both a privilege and a funds. My Lord Bishop; ladies and gentlespecial pleasure to invite Your Excellency | men, I most enruestly and heartily wish in the name of the College Council and of you success, success to the new wing which parents and guardians of our students to wo have inauguarated to-day, success to attend this important function of laying St. Stephen's College on its wider basis

> can grow to its full dimensions (Applause). His Lordship bishop Lander said he was having presented His Excellency with a sure they would all agree with him in conbeautiful silver trowel, the Bishop of gratulating the Warden on the excellent Victoria heartily congratulated the Council report he had just read. He felt that they and the master of the College on the were making history that day. His Exprogress of their work, adding that he cellency's remarks made last year had so felt there was no one upon earth so fitted fructified that a university had almost come to lay the store of the new wing as His into sight. He remembered something CIRCULATING Excellency the Governor of the Colony he had said twelve months ago that he tapplause). No one had taken a greater had dreamt of a new building for St. interest in education than His Excellency Stephen's College. He did not know and they were thankful he was there to lay then that his dream was soon to be realised and that twelve months from Using the presentation trowel His Ex- then His Excellency was to be with them cellency then proceeded to lay the stone to lay the foundation stone of the new building. He felt that indeed they were The company then adjourned to the making rapid progress in the cause of emporary building attached to the College, education in this Colony. He cordially where the Bishop presided, and called agreed with what Mr Barnett had said upon the Governor to address the gather- that they could assure His Excellency of their most hearty co-operation in the His Excellency said :- My Lord Bishop, scheme for a university and that all ladies and gentlemen-Last year about this connected with the College would do all time when I had the pleasure and privilege they could to help him. He thought of distributing the prizes at St. Stephen's that day's function was a very striking ber and is entitled to exchange College your warden the Rev. Barnett, testimony of the work done by Archdeacon was absent on leave in England. We are Banister and the Rev. Mr Barnett. His same for any other novel on glad to welcome him back amongst us and only regret was that the Archdeacon was to see him again at the scene of his success- not with them that day, though he know payment of 20 cents cash, Hongful work in this college. His place was he was in thought and spirit, though not taken for the time being by the Venerable actually in bodily presence. It was an Archdeacon Banister who perhaps more evidence of the good feeling that existed

than any other man may claim to be the between the British and Chinese. On the The Elusive Pimpernel, by Baroness Orczy. founder of St. Stephen's College. We have one hand the British nation had sent some The Luck of Norman Dale, by Barry Pain to deplore his absence to-day, for he has of its most able men to work out here in gone home for a well carned rest educational matters, men that could have The Land of Silent Feet, by Arthur O. after many years of hard work in the obtained a good position anywhere in the Fisher.

Far East. It may be that his health world. The Chinese had appreciated that The Red City, by S. Weir Mitchell, and advancing years may render it by a kindly feeling of reciprocity. He had M.D.L.L.D. necessary for him to remain in England. one of the greatest compliments ever paid The Magician, by Wm. Somerset Maugham. fatal voyage in September 1906, consider. If so this colony will lose a very devoted him in his life, paid him last March when Patsy, by H. De Vere Stacpoole. If so this colony will lose a very devoted him in his life, paid him last March when Patsy, by H. De Vere Stacpoole. and able man and this college especially some Chinese gentlemen, who had heard he An Immortal Soul, by W. H. Mallock. will lose an indefatigable friend who has was going to England, asked him to take Princess Penniless, by S. R. Crockett. since its inception been always ready to | their sons to England and put them in the | The Old Wives' Tale, by Arnold Bennett. assist and help in every way in his power. best English schools and universities. He A Country Family, by Storer Clouston. We hope however we may see him back had taken it as a very great compliment A Life's Arrears, by Florence Warden. amongst us, and if he comes he will in- and deemed it a very great privilege to The Golden Precipice, by H. B. Marriottaugurate, as I may say, the second phase take these young men home. He hoped of the existence of St. Stephen's College, they were making good progress, those The Woman and the Sword, by Rupert For with the extension of the buildings, past students of this College. That Lorraine. the foundation stone of which I have had day they had a remarkable evidence The Other Man's Wife, by Frank Richardthe pleasure of laying. St. Stephen's of the reciprocity of the Chinese in College may be said to enter upon that their new building was being paid The Tempting of Paul Chester, by Alice the second phase of its existence. for by the parents and guardians of the I hope and trust that the second phase students in the school (Applause). The The House of the Crickets, by Katherine of scholars, having Mr Lai Kwai Pul as may be no less successful and may be Chinese trusted the College and they could even more successful than the first assure the Chinese that they would do The Heart-Smiter, by Mary E. Mann. phase has been (applause). Your warden in | their best to show that that trust was Interplay, by Bestrice Harraden. the address which he has just delivered never misplaced. Then they had also The Governors, by E. Phillips Oppenheim.

used those words I had very little idea understanding, and although every liberty. that I should ever see them fructify or | wasgiven to them, there was never the smalthat it was any more than a dream of what lest attempt at proselytising. The College should wish to see happen. I little wasthere because they believed in the Scripthought that they would have the result | tures and endeavoured to teach them. He that they had. Within a few days our gen- thanked his Excellency for being with them erous fellow citizen, Mr Mody, informed me that day, and he congratulated the Council he had read the words I had used here, and all connected with the College on the pared to come forward and present build- His Excellency, who on rising was re- to manage it when once it takes actual ings fully adequate for the needs of a ceived with applause, said-My Lord form. We have heard the report of the university whatever the cost might be Bishop, Ladies and Gentlemen :- I have past year. I am sorry that the number of Yuen, \$500; Mr Lo Man Leung and Bros, (applause). Since that time we have care already spoken at some length. In the boys is not quite no large as last year. Last ried on negotiations with the Hongkong remarks that I have already made on the year it was 151 and this year 136. Also College of Medecine, which I wish to in- subject of the university I was tempted to that the boys for the Oxford and Cambridge corporate in the university, and meetings speak at some length in consequence of are not quite so many. Last year there

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University. They will be able to com- forward to subscribe the endownment fund letting me see yours also. Before I present plete their education. Many perhaps which is necessary before we begin building. the prizes I would offer hearty congratulawho would not be able to go to England I heartily agree with the warden that it is tions to those who have been successful would be able to gain similar education advisable we should have an Arts degree if either in winning prizes or certificates, and here and others would be able to enter it is possible. That will depend on the to those who have not been successful I upon a university course without being funds raised, and the professonial staff would urge the taking to hearb of the exiled in a foreign country for a long which we shall be able to engage. But excellent and sound advice given by the period of years. The project will decision on these matters will rest with the Warden that failure should only be a only promote renewed and extended exertions. I wish you all very happy bolidays, and a very happy now year when the Chinese new year begins (applause). The Rev Mr Barnett explained that last year they had 151 students actually on the roll during the year. They closed this year with a roll call of 125 pames. As a matter of fact they lad more students attending this year than last His Excellency then distributed the

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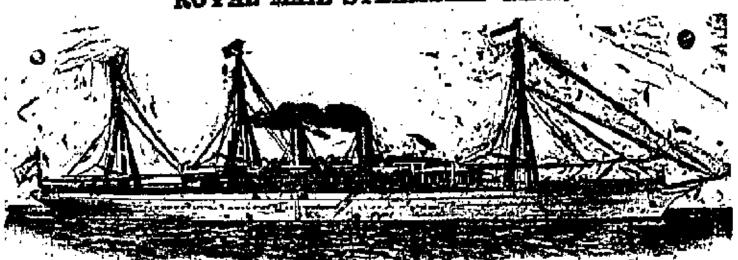
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RAILWAY AND COMMERCIAL ENTERPRISE IN CHINA. At the London Institution on 30th lovember the Earl of Ronaldshay, M.P., delivered a lecture on "Commercial and Railway Enterprise in China at the Dawn of the 20th Century." Lord Ronaldshay, who has has recently travelled through China, in the course of his paper, said :--The country possessed undeveloped resources of almost incalculable extent, which were being sodulously hearded up for + posterity. The Province of Kiangei consisted of what was virtually one vast coalfield, which alone could supply the world's need in the way of coal for thousands of years to come, and it possessed a mountain f iron ore three miles long and 400 feet righ, capable of supplying 700 tons of iron ore per day for an equally lengthy period. Yet as showing how little these natural resources were appreciated at present, old, worn out horse shoes from London fetched high prices in China quite close to what is probably the largest iron ore moun. tain in the world. The further obstacles at present in the way of any considerable xpansion of trade with China, in Lord Ronaldshay's opinion, are the restricted purchasing power of the people and the absence of modern means of transport. In this latter respect China is now making progress, and is improving her means of communication. Of all the imports of China cotton goods find the largest and the readiest sale; and yet China has home-made—cotton cloths that are most durable, warmer, and Class Unisine. less expensive than the article of foreign manufacture which satisfy the requirements of the poorer people, and which were thought good enough to export to Europe before Arkwright and the spinning jenny revolutionised the manufacture of cotton goods. Both in manufactured cotton and in food China is really self-supporting, and the only other class of goods besides cottons that is imported in great bulk is placed under the head of "sundries." In this matter of cotton goods Great Britain en. joyed the lion's share of the trade. The trade in sundries was shared amongst Germany, Austria, and America, and to an the cotton trade was considerable, but he did not think it was by any means as large as a superficial consideration of the potentialities of the Chinese market suggested it ought to be, for the 400 million inhabitants were clothed almost entirely in cotton, and surely here was means of a demand to keep the cotton mills of Lancashire going. There was an increasing demand for fast black Italian and fancy Manchester goods—goods which pleased the eye-and this trade was capable of considerable further extension. Goods of beautiful finish, like those now being supenabled the less wealthy to dress more generally was of silk. Magnitude and

whole of China's import trade, but foreign MANILA STEAMERS & TIENTSIN STEAMERS have superior restanger traders could only hope to dispose of their merchandise in proportion to the new tastes they introduced, the new wants they created, and the care they took to supply what the Chinese really demanded. This could best be done by employing the services of trained Chinese representatives as travellers-a system which had been adopted by a number of British firms. It was in the direction of improved communications that China was making most headway under the stimulus of her growing ambitions. The first railways which were built were constructed, controlled, and owned by foreign Governments, but China soon became alive to the danger of the political weapons in the hands of the foreigner. After the war between Russia and Japan the changed attitude of China towards Europe was reflected in her railway agreements. Since the Canton-Kowloon loan agreement loan contracts had been arranged for the construction of two other important railways-namely, for the Tientsin-Pukow railway and the Hangchow-Ningpo line. In these cases the loans were guarranted by the Chinese Government, but the railways themselves were not mortgaged as security, and the European experts had no position except that shay expressed doubts as to whether British investors who invested their money in recent years in Chinese railways quite understood the terms under 72 which it had been invested, and he suggested that something more than an Imperial Edict would be required by way of guarrantee when China should next come to Europe for money. Railways run under European

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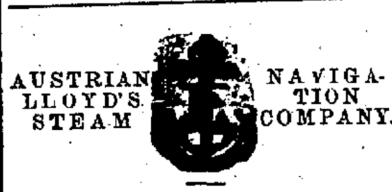
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in any case whatever. Damaged packages must be left in the at Kowloon, whence delivery may be ob Godowns for examination by the Con- tained immediately after landing. signee's and the Company's representative at an appointed hour. All claims must be intimation is received from the Consignees presented within ten days of the steamer's before 3 p.m., To-day, requesting it to be arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognised. No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns. E. A. HEWEIT.

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E. A. HEWETT. Superintendent. Hongkong, January 6, 1909.

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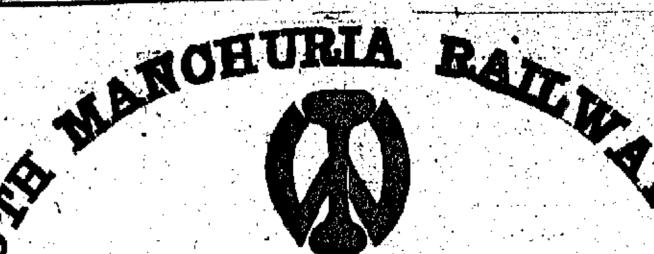
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League Cricket.

FIXTURES FOR SATURDAY. The fixtures down for decision on Saturday are as follows :-

Hongkong C.C. (B" v. Craigengower. R.G.A. v. Kowloon. Civil Service v. R.E.

C.B.C.C. V. ROYAL ENGINEERS. The following will represent the Civil Service Club on their ground at 2 p.m., on Saturday :- R. O. Hutchison,-captain, P. R. Adams, F. A. Biden, R. E. O. Bird, H. Ellis, J. McEwen, A. R. F. Raven, E. B. Reed, A. R. Sutherland, F. Sutton, R. C. Witchell. Reserves : - I., E. Brett.

KOWLOON V. R.G.A.

The K.C.C. team will be: - Major E. R. Chitty, G. G. Richardson, H. Balderston, W. F. Brewer, W. E. Dixon, H. Beer, J. H. Moad, W. G. Martin, J. P. Robinson, J. Clelland, C. W. Jeffries; Reserves: L. J. Blackburn, and D. J. Mackenzie.

H. R. C. C. "B" E. CRAIGENCOWER C C. The above League match will take place on the former Club's ground on Saturday at 2 o'clock p.m. Craigengower team will be :- L. E. L. Lammert, Capt., G. A. Hancock, A. O. Brawn, R. Basa, H. L. Manderson, W. H. Vivensh, R. Pestonji A. Osman, J. D. Noria, J. D. Kinnaird and L. A. Rose. Hongkong "B" Team will be represent ed by the following on the home ground to-morrow afternoon, commencing at 2.15 p.m.:-R. Hancock, H. Hancock, T. E. Pearce, F. H. H. Stevens, A. O. Lang, H. D. Sharpin, S. S. Logan, W. E. L. Shenton, Capt. H. H. C. Baird, The Buffs,

Lt. J. S. Sill, The Buffs, and Capt. S. Bobinson, R.N. HONGKONG "A" THAN V. POLICE. The following have been selected to play for the "A" team in the above match on the latter's ground to-morrow aftermoon, commencing at 2.15 p.m.-W. C. D. Turner, A. E. Lanning, H. R. Makin, H. A. Fowler, A. Mackenzie, A. Dashwood, E. H. Hinds, E. Irving, Waterhouse, Lt. H. W. Green, and Lt. D. K. Anderson, The Buffs.

League Table.

The following in the League Table up

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Civil Service	. 7	5	1	1	4	66.66%
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League Football.

FIXTURES FOR SATURDAY.

The fixtures arranged for Saturday are as follows :---4 p.m. Refereo, Mr R. H. Bunyard.

2.30 p.m. Referee, Corpl. Edwards, at 2.30 p.m. Referee, Segt. Walsh; and Williams' Medicine Co., 8B Kiukiang Road, Buffe v. Lusitano. at 4 p.m. Referee, Shanghai, at \$1.50 Mex per bottle or Sapper Heigh.

B.O.G. V. R.A.H.C. In this encounter, which is to take place at Causeway Bay to-morrow at 4 p.m., the B.O.C. will be represented by: - K. Khan; G. Abbas and A. Abbas: J. Chow, H. J. White, and T. Cordiero; R. Blakemore, T. L. Goldenberg, W. Wong, C. Parslow, and J. E. Chunyut. The Reserves are C. Sequira and A. R. Ellis.

NAVAL YARD v. R. E. To be played on the Naval Ground, Happy Valley, to-morrow. Kick-off, 2,30 p.m. The Naval Yard will be represented by :-Howell; Dunlevy, Glover, and Pascoe : Kancy, Coyne, Wilks, Harding,

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Hongkong, January 8, 1909.

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ARRIVALS.

January 7. Fooksang, British steamer, 1,987, T. A Mitchell, Calcutta and Singapore January 1, General - Jardine, Matheson & Cd. Kisshe Maru, Japanese str., 1,536, B. Miyroke, Moji Dec. 28, Coal.

January 8. Tenuo Maru. Japanese steamer, 7,265, Ernest Bont, San Francisco Dec. 11, and Shanghai January 5. Mails and General.-Toyo Kisen Kaisha.

Tean, British str., 1 346, A. Outerbridge, Manila Jan. 5. General. - BUTTERFIELD & Swire. Zweena, British str., 941. A. Rawsay,

Samarang Dec. 29. General and Sugar.— Daijin Moru, Japanese steamer, 899, J. Sakurai, Tamsui, via Amoy and Swatow Jan. 7. General.—O. S. K.

Austrije, British steamer, 4,395, C. L. Daniel, Shaughai Jan. 5, Mails and General.—P. & O. S. N. Co. Capri, Italian etr., 2,718, P. Domenico, 1865 Bombay and Singapore Jan. 1, General .-

CARLOWITZ & Co. Tamsui, British steamer, 919, Lennox,

Tingsang, British str., from Canton. Prosper, Norwegian str., from Canton. Taishun, Chinese str., from Canton.

DEPARTURES. January 8. Wakamatsu Maru, for Wakamatsu. Den of Ogil, for Singapore and Hamburg. Wakamiya Maru, for Kobo. Newchwang, for Chinkiang. Ohenan, for Ningpo. Wongkoi, for Swatow ...

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Tingsang, for Swatow.

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Per Tenyo Maru, from San Francisco, &c., Mr Chas. E. Batho, Dr and Mrs Fred. Bentley, Mr D. E. Blake, Mr J. F. Gau, Mr and Mrs A. Heise, Miss Freds Heise, Miss Nancy Heise, Mr W. Hendrick, Mr. C. W. Roberts, Capt. Frank Knoll, Mrs D. H. Dougan, Miss Rose Dougan, Miss 40 C. W. Baker, Mr and Mrs L. T. Grant, Comdr. and Mr. Webster, Miss D. B. Gray, Dr med Adolf Razla, Mr T. E. Griffiths, NDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION Mrs Frank Knoll, Dr E. C. Machle, Mrs P. O'Neil, Mr Norris P. Percival, Dr N. D. Pontius, Dr Wm. Quinn, Miss Hortense Robison, Mesars Milton S. Silverstone, A. B. Tigh, E. B. Denechaud, M. Miyasaki, Miss J. A. Grant, Mr D. H. Dougan, Prof. Dr Hugo von Tschudi, Mr E Koepping, Mr F. A. Eustin, Mrs Eustin, Mr C. A. Lindsay, Mr and Mrs E. C.

Per Fooksang, from Calcutta, &c., Dr and Mrs Annerly, Mr Phillips, Mr Avery, Mrs Pretions and son. Per Tean, from Manila, Mrs Wright Bills of Lading will be countersigned by Delahanty, Deversaux, Burns, Flaherty, Boggerly, Holloway, McArdle, Curtis, Grancy, Danzig, Goldsmith, Ronic and Ullman.

Per Assaye, from Shanghai : for Hongkong, Mr and Mrs Harrey Jones, Messrs Bernstein, Morris and Lock Trever; for Singapore, Mr and Mrs J. R. L. Calder and child, and Mr Cornish; for Bombay, Mr Dinshawjee; for Port Said, Mr Cobb : for London, Mr L. MacDonald. From Yokohama : for Singapore, Mr A. T. V. Kemp; for Port Said, Mrs S. E. Morss, and Miss Morse; for London, Miss Alston, ONSIGNEES of OARGO per Steamship Mr Cohen Lewis, Miss Hunter and Miss H. Hunter.

> Approximate times of closing mails at 14th Januaryat 8.30 p.m. 22nd Januaryat 9.00 a.m. 28th Januaryat 8.30 p.m.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. Mails will Close: -

For CHINKIANG,-Per Kowloon, at 10 a.m., on Saturday, the 9th Jan. For BANGKOK .-

Per Rojah, at 10 a.m., on Saturday, the Mr W. Burns For SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, ROBE YOKOHAMA & SEATTLE. Per Minnesota, at 10 a.m., on Saturday. the 9th Jan.

37 For MANILA .--Per Rubi, at 10 a.m., on Saturday, the For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CAL-Por Gregory Apear, at noon, on Saturday,

Per Sui Tai, at 1.15 p.m., on Saturday, For SHANGHAL --

Per Taishun, at 3 p.m., on Saturday, the 9th Jan. For SAIGON .-Per Derivent, at 4 p.m., on Saturday, the

fith Jan. Per Yatshing, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the 9th Jan. For HOIHOW & HAIPHONG.—

Saturday, the 9th Jan. For SHANGHAL, YUKOHAMA, KOBE Per Fooksang, at 11 a.m., on Monday, Mr and Mrs F. G. Sharpe the lith Jan will be despatched on SATURDAY, For SAMARANG & SOURABAYA.

> Per Unsang, at 3 p.m., on Monday, the 11th Jan. For HAIPHONG. For Child, at 9 s.m., on Tuesday, the Mr and Mrs C. 12th Jan

For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOGEOW,

Per Hairling, at 11 a.m., on Totaday,

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For SANDAKAN. the 12th Jan. FO SINGAPORE, PENANG & BOM-BAY. Per Capri, at 11 s.m., on Tubeday, the 18h Jan. Per Tean, at 2 pan, on Tuesday, the

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STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

shire, Indrani, Kanagawa Maru.

Thursday, the 14th January.

Expected.

January, a.m.

from Calcutta and the Straits, left January, at 11 a.m. on the 11th January.

on the 16th January. The s.s. Adoto left Scattle for Hongkong via Japanese ports on the 24th Dec. The E. & A. eteamer Eastern from Sydney. &c., left Port Darwin on the 31st Dec. for Timor, Manila and this port.

The Ben Line steamer Benlaria from Mid dlesbro', Antwerp and London, lef Singapore on 3rd January, for this Latest Advices.

The N. Y. K. s.s. Tango Maru (American Line) left Shanghai for this port on the 8th January, and is expected here on the 11th January. The N. Y. K. s.s. Ceylon Maru (Bombay Line) left Moji for this port on the 7th January, and is expected here on the

12th January. e N. Y. K. s.e. Moyori Maru (Bombay Line) left Bombay for this port via Singapore on the 7th January, and is expected here on the 28th January.

VESSELS AT THE DOCKS. At Kowloon .- H.M.S. Fame, H.M.S. Mrs Fisher, Miss Ridgeway, Messrs Bliss, | Janus, Taranga, Michael Jebson, Mandal, Williams, Hietmuller, Wright, Fisher, Heungshan, H.M.S. Whiting, Yuensang, Chipshing, Orange Branch. Cosmopolitan.—

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VERSETS. DESTINATION. CoastPorts&Shanghai Bujun Maru (s) Osaka Shosan Kaisha wan. 14, Daylight. Europe, &c...... Derfflinger (s) Melchers & Co...... Jan. 13. at Noon. Genos, Mar., L'don, &c Kamo Maru (8) Nippon Yusen Kalaha. A bout Jan. 26. Havro & Hamburg ... Barcelona (8) Hamburg Am ka Linie January 25. Japan & Portland, Or. Arabis (a) Rertland & A. S. Co. Jan 16, at 5 p.m.

Kobe & Yokohama... Awa Maru (e) Nippon Yuson Kalaha Jap. 13. Daylight. Marseilles, London &c. Blugo Maru (s) Nippon Yusan Kalaha Jan. 20. Daylight. Berlin of the 16th December, left Manila Zafiro (a) Shewan, Tomes & Co. Jan. 16. at Noon. Manila, Allan Ports. .. Kumano Maru (s) ... Nippon Yusen Kalaha Jan. 22, at noon. 27th Dec. for Victoria and Vancouver. Haiphong Chibli (s) Butterfield & Swire ... Jan. 12, at 10 a.m.

San Francisco v. Japan Tenyo Maru (s) Toyo Kisen Kaisha ... Jan. 19. at Noon. San Francisco v. Japan Nippon Maru (9) Toyo Kisen Kaisha ... Web. 9, at Noon. Seattle, v. S'hai, Japan Minnesota (s) Nippon Yusen Kaisha. Jan. 9. at Noon. Chefoo Jan. 2, General. - Buttereigh & The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s s.s. Kumsong S'tow, Amoy & Tamsui Daijin Maru (s) Osaka Shosen Kalaba 10, at 8 a.m. Singapore & Sourabaya Chunsang (s) fardine, M'son & Co. Lo Jan. 12, at 4 mm. Singapore for this port on the 5th Shai, Moji, Kobe Yma Fooksang (s)...... Jardine, Meon & Co. La Jan. 11. at Moon. S'hai, Kobe & T'hams Polynesien (s) Messageries Maritimes About Jan 18. The N. Y. K. s.s. Aca Maru (European S'hai, N'ki, Kobe, Y'ms Lutzow (8)............ Melchers & Co........... About Jan. 14. The H. A. L. s.s. Andalusio left Singa- Shanghai, Moji & Kobe Kageshima Maru (8)... Nippon Yusen Kaisha January 14. pore on 6th January, at 7 am, and Shanghal...... Devanha (s) P. & O. S. N. Co..... About Jan. 21,

make her due at this post on the morn- S tow, Amoy & F'chow Haiching (8) Douglas Lapraik & Co. Jan. 12, at Noon. ing of January 12th, instead of the S'pore, P'ang & Coutts Gregory Apoli (s)...... D. Sassoon & Co., Ld. Jan. 9, at 1 p.m. S'pore, Cl'ho & B'bay, Ceylon Maru (s) Nippon Yusen Kaisha, January 14. bay Line) left Bombay for this port | Samarang & Sourabaya Tientain (e) Butterfield & Swire ... Jan. 11, at 4 p.m. The Java-China-Japan Lijn str. Tjimahi Viotoria, B.C., Seattle Tango Maru (s)....... Nippon Yusen Kaisha, Jau. 19, at Noon. left Macassay for this port on 3rd Victoria, B.C., Tacoma Inverie (s)............ Dodwell & Co. Limited Jan. 14,

January, at 6 a.m., and may be ex- Victoria, B.C., Tacoma Suverio (s)................ Dodwell & Co., Ed.... Feb. 11. pected here on or about the 14th Jar., Vancouver, (B.O.) &c. Empress of Japan(s). .. Canadian P'fic R. Co. Jan. 15, at 7 a.m. and will sail for Amoy and Shanghai | Vancouver. (B.C.), &c. Empress of China (s). Canadian Pigo R. Co Feb. 13, at 7 a.m. Vancouver, (BC.), &c., Monteagle (s)........... Canadian P'fic R. Co. Mar. 2, at Noon.

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